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SUBJ: SENGHOR ANTICIPATES WITHDRAWAL OF GOS FORCES FROM  
UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN SINAI; PLANS CONTACTS WITH LIBYA

1. DURING JAN 22 CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR, PRESIDENT  
SENGHOR AGAIN ALLUDED TO SENEGALESE INTENTION TO WITHDRAW  
ITS TROOPS FROM UN MIDDLE EAST PEACEKEEPING FORCE. HE SAID ONE  
REASON WAS POSSIBILITY THAT SENEGALESE TROOPS MIGHT HAVE TO  
BE SENT TO SAHARA IF ALGERIAN ROLE WIDENED.

2. SENGHOR HAD ALSO REFERRED TO PLANNED WITHDRAWAL OF GOS  
CONTINGENT FROM MIDDLE EAST IN JULY CONVERSATION WITH  
AMBASSADOR (DAKAR 4248). ON THAT OCCASION HE CITED BORDER  
PROBLEMS WITH GUINEA BISSAU AS CONTRIBUTING FACTOR, AND  
ANTICIPATED JANUARY WITHDRAWAL DATE. IN LATEST CONVERSATION  
HE GAVE NO INDICATION OF TIMETABLE. HOWEVER, CURRENT  
SENEGALESE UNIT BEGAN SIX-MONTH TOUR IN SINAI IN LATE AUGUST,  
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1975, AND IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THEY MIGHT NOT BE REPLACED

WHEN TOUR IS UP IN FEBRUARY, 1976.

2. SENGHOR ALSO SAID HE HAD RECEIVED SOME OVERTURES FROM LIBYA FOR MEETING WITH SENEGAL. HE WAS NOT CERTAIN WHAT LIBYANS WISHED TO DISCUSS, BUT FELT IT MIGHT INVOLVE SAHARAN CONFLICT. CONTACTS WOULD BE ESTABLISHED WITH LIBYANS, SENGHOR SAID, BUT DID NOT INDICATE AT WHAT LEVEL.  
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